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SUBJECT: ROK REACTION TO NEWS THAT US CONSIDERED A-BOMB
USE IN KOREAN WAR

REF: SEOUL 1787

1. MOFA IS CORRECT IN ASSUMPTION THAT "FOREIGN RELATIONS
OF THE U.S., 1950" DID NOT CONTAIN REFERENCED CORRESPON-
DENCE BETWEEN TRUMAN AND RHEE. AT REQUEST OF ROKG THIS
CORRESPONDENCE HAS BEEN DELETED FROM 1951 VOLUME WHICH IS
STILL BEING CLEARED PRIOR TO PUBLICATION.

2. IT DOES NOT APPEAR THAT SOURCE OF STORY WAS FOREIGN
RELATIONS VOLUME. HOWEVER, STORY COULD BE BASED ON UPI
QUOTE FROM RECENTLY RELEASED SENATE DOCUMENTS CONTAINING
1953 TESTIMONY OF GEN. OMAR BRADLEY. BRADLEY REPORTEDLY
STATED THAT JCS DISCUSSED MANY TIMES TACTICAL USE OF
ATOMIC BOMB.
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